# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



## FISCAL NOTE

# SB 2708 - HB 2780

March 2, 2010

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires a respondent of an order of protection to refrain from telephoning, contacting, or otherwise being in the immediate vicinity of the petitioner for 12 hours from the time the respondent is served. A respondent who violates the order is to be arrested without a warrant.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

Increase State Revenue - Not Significant Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Increase Local Revenue – Not Significant Increase Local Expenditures – Not Significant

## Assumptions:

- A small increase in cases in the court system, which will result in additional state and local government expenditures for processing the cases and additional state and local government revenue from fees, taxes and costs collected. These expenditures and revenue are estimated to be not significant.
- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for local government to experience any significant increase in revenue or expenditures.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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